Northfield Energy Committee

Minutes of September 3, 2019

Present: NEC Members - Jane Pekol, Denise MacMartin, Gail Hall, Sarah Wolfe

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Chair Jane Pekol.

Approval of Minutes: The minutes from 08/20/19 were approved.

Transportation:

A follow-up call with Deb Sachs, of Go!Vermont has been scheduled for September 12. Jane will send out details regarding time and access to Zoom.

EV Bikes: Denise and Gail will continue research, with help from other committee members.

EV Charging Station: Sarah will check on details regarding public use of Norwich's stations as well as other details regarding construction/installation.

The Hitching Post: Jane will research how this has worked in other communities.

Select Board Report Follow-up: Sarah will draft a budget for the coming fiscal year so that we can review and present to the Town in a timely manner to request funding.

Button Up: Sarah presented the program changes from last year. This year we are required to do only one event, such as hosting an open house or information session. The event must be done between September 23 and the beginning of November. There was discussion regarding how we might piggy-back on another event. More thorough discussion and plans were deferred until our next meeting.

Thank you: Special thanks to Nicholas Laskovski, Outreach Coordinator and founding NEC member, who recently moved to Roxbury. We look forward to working with him in the future as we find ways to collaborate with neighboring communities.

The next meeting is September 17, 2019 at 6:30 PM. Place TBA.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Denise MacMartin NEC Secretary